SOUTH CAROLINA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

STANDING HEARING OFFICER DIRECTIVE

DOCKET NOS. 1995-1192-E ORDER NO. 2019-6-H

JANUARY 3, 2019

David Butler Standing Hearing Officer

DOCKET DESCRIPTION:

Proceeding for Approval of the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978 (PURPA) Avoided Cost Rates for Electric Companies

MATTER UNDER CONSIDERATION:

Request for a Procedural Schedule

STANDING HEARING OFFICER ACTION:

As part of their latest Application in the above-noted Docket, Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC (together, "the Companies") proposed the establishment of a procedural schedule for their latest proceeding, and, in addition, the Companies proposed an amended schedule on January 3, 2019. Accordingly, the Companies now propose the following:

- 1. The direct testimony and exhibits of the Companies shall be filed on or before February 1, 2019;
- 2. The direct testimony and exhibits of intervenors shall be filed on or before April 9, 2019;
- 3. Any rebuttal testimony and exhibits of the Companies shall be filed on or before May 7, 2019; and
- 4. Any surrebuttal testimony and exhibits of intervenors shall be filed on or before May 14, 2019.

The Companies note that they have consulted with the Office of Regulatory Staff, and it does not object to the amended schedule. (When the proposed schedule mentions the word "intervenors", the Standing Hearing Officer is assuming that the word includes the Office of Regulatory Staff.) Accordingly, the amended schedule is hereby adopted as proposed. I would add that the direct testimonies and exhibits of the various parties may be mailed on

the dates indicated, whereas the rebuttal and surrebuttal testimonies and exhibits must be received by the Commission and parties on the dates indicated.

In addition, a hearing shall be held before the Commission on the matter beginning at 10:00 AM on May 21, 2019 in the Commission Hearing Room, located at 101 Executive Center Drive, Columbia, South Carolina 29210.